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MEXICO.**Merida—Yellow Fever.**

During the week ended March 23 two cases of yellow fever were reported at Merida. The total number of cases from August 1, 1911, to date is 75 with 29 deaths.

RUSSIA.**Typhus Fever.**

At Moscow Consul Snodgrass reports the occurrence of 12 cases of typhus fever with 4 deaths during the two weeks ended February 17.

At Odessa Consul Grout reports 156 cases for the two weeks ended January 27,^a and for the four weeks ended March 2, 181 cases with 15 deaths.

At St. Petersburg Vice Consul Vezey reports 5 cases with 1 death for the week ended February 24.

SOUTH AFRICA.**Plague at Durban, Natal.**

Information received from the department of the interior, Pretoria, shows the occurrence of 3 cases of plague with 2 deaths at Durban, Natal, from February 11 to 21. The total number of cases reported to date is 8 with 6 deaths.

VENEZUELA.**Plague and Yellow Fever.**

A report received from the sanitary commission shows the occurrence of 5 cases of yellow fever at Caracas during the two weeks ended February 15, 1912.

Acting Asst. Surg. Stewart at La Guaira reports: A fatal case of yellow fever occurred at Maiquetia, a suburb of La Guaira, March 8, and a second case March 9. At Macuto, a health resort situated about 3 miles from La Guaira, a death from yellow fever occurred March 19.

Dr. Stewart further reports that a case of plague was reported at Caracas March 12, the first case reported for six months.

ZANZIBAR.**Zanzibar—Examination of Rats.**

Consul Weddell reports that during the two weeks ended February 14, 1,398 rats were examined for plague infection. No plague-infected rat was found.

^a Public Health Reports, Feb. 23, 1912, p. 286.